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Despite The Evenino World's liberal offer our esteemed evening contemporary, with a persistent and fathous fondness for bluffing, still maintains the cheerful legend at the head of its editorial column:

The Circulation of the EVENING SUN

is larger than that of any other evening paper in the United States. The non-acceptance of our friendly offer,

however, leads digipterested observers to the conclusion that the Evening Sun recognizes but is too coy to spinit that the circulation of The Evening World is at least 25 per cent. greater than its own.

The Evening would be at least 25 per cent.

But we will not be mean about this matter.
The Evening San small have another chance.
The offer is revised as follows:
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that of the Evening San—three prominent
advertisers to be the judges.
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within the constitutional limit of ten days,
we shall increase the percentage again.

IS JUSTICE TO BE DONE?

A number of instances in which the police seem to have exceeded their rights and trenches out. It is believed the breastworks duties under laws which are supposed to were almost destroyed. govern them as well as other citizens, have come to light within a few days.

But most conspicuous and glaring among them all is the case of Patrolman Patrick LAVIN, who is known to have admitted that he clubbed Janitor Prost after he. Prost, was "down," Prost died of his injuries, and Coroner SCHULTZE held an inquest which was a mere farce.

Is justice to be done in this case, and if so, who is to do it?

THE PATRON SAINT OF ERIN.

Though born in Great Britain, from which Ireland has since been so sadly divided by seas and tyrannies, Saint Partics gave his name and his fame to the green island which keeps his memory sacred.

All over Erin be lives in the names of loch, village and mountain, and his good deeds have come down the ages unmarred by single reproach. }

Surely no people have a patron saint better worth honoring in their own or an adopted land than the good old missionary who herded swine on the hills of Sleamish fifteen. hundred years ago.

OFF ON THEIR CUBA JAUNT.

PART OF THE LATE ADMINISTRATION OUT FOR RECREATION.

Grover Cleveland, Don M. Dickinson and William F. Vilas took a good breakfast this morning at the Victoria Hotel, and a little after 7 o'clock skipped into a carriage and were bowled down to the Desbrosses street ferry. The three merry fellows were off for a mild tear. They were going to Cuba to give a gentle coating of vermillion to Havana.

Grover was celebrating his fifty-second birthday by this outing.

Mr. Dickinson and Mr. Vilas came over from Washington last Saturday in the Limited Express, which arrived here at 8.20 p. M. The Cuban party, expected to start at midnight yesterday, but Mr. Cleveland dined out and did not get home much before that hour, so the departure was deferred till this

It was intended to make this a Cabinet party, including all the Secretarics. But Mr. Endicott is pusy getting ready of go to Europe, Mr. Whitney is detained by some business that demands his attention in New York and Mr. Fairchild was prevented by some unexpected event that knocked him

The Evening Wolld reporter called on the ex-Secretary of the Treasury at the Brevoort this morning at 10 o'clock. Mr. Pairchild had just fluished a comfortable breakfast and was enjoying a choice cigar in the smoking-

"Yes," he said with a smile to the reporter, "I expected to be off with them this morning, but I found I couldn't go. It is quite a disappointment, for it was a nice party of congenial spirits and the trip is morely for purposes of recreation." party of congenial spirits and the trip is purely for purposes of recreation."

"Mr. Bayard and Mr. Dickinson started the idea. They were going and got the others to go. I came over with Mr. Dickinson and Mr. Vilas Saturday, and told them I couldn't co.

couldn't go.

"They will go right through to Florida by
the Atlantic Coast line in a special Pullman.
They will pick up Mr. Bayard in Washington
this afternoon.
They will stop a day or two at St. Augustine and them.

They will stop a day or two at St. Augustine and then go to Tampa, where they take a steamer of the Plant line, and in thirty hours will be in Havana.

They won't the gone more than ten days. No ladies were taken along, on account of the trip being a pretty brick one. They were all pretty tired after their official labors in Washington, and they are taking a rest."

"Did Mr. Cleveland take his fishing-line along?" asked the reporter.

along?" asked the reporter.
"Well, there was some talk about fishing, and I suspect he has a stout line in his gripsack. But I believe this is not the season for tarpon, and what would Florida fishing be without hooking a tarpon."
"He as not you were not able to go, too."

"It is a pity you were not able to go, too," said the reporter.

"Yes, Pin rather sorry to miss it. I think they will have a good time," said Mr, Fairchild, with a knowing smile.

Zion Lodge Extends Sympathy to Ireland. Zion Lodge, Independent Order Free Sons of Israel, paid a fraternal visit to Daniel Webster Lodge at its rooms in the Florence Building last evening. Julius Harburger, First I nited States Deputy Grand Master, on behalf of Zion Lodge, delivered an address on the Feast of Furfan Among other things he said. Another creed celebrates the day of its greatest saint, and when the 17th of March, 18th, arrives may the Irish race celebrate its day as one of deliverance from persecution and oppression and have a constitutional government of their own," Other speeches were made by J. E. Lewenstein, L. B. Franklin, Joseph Steiner and Nathan L. Hahn. Lodge at its rooms in the Florence Building last

News Summary.

The camp of Oklahoma boomers in Indian Territory is broken up by a troop of cavalry an Port Reno. Ex-President and Mrs. Cleveland attend Dr. Parknersts Freebyterian Church in Madison Bonars.

MUNDANE MATTERS.

New York is not at all disconcerted at the growing rumor that Kansas City is to be the future great city of America. Life in Kansas City is rendered too perilous, by reason of th constant danger of falling over a bluff, for the population ever to become excessively large.

The discovery of a conscience in a Republican Senator has shocked his entire party. Strong efforts will be made to induce Senator Chace to withhold his resignation. For a Republican office-holder to resign because he didn't believe be was legally elected would be a fearfully compromising precedent!

The Legislature of California adjourned size die vesterday to see a rattling prize-fight. Two of the Senators backed the pugilists, and it is supposed that when this angust body of lawmakers is reconvened a vote of thanks to the gentlemen of the ring for their instructive and kilful exhibition will be engrossed and spread on the minutes. If the time ever comes when Mr. John L. Sullivan is annoyed at the consequences of his sprees in the East the California Legislature would evidently offer him a future.

Aunt Emily Ward, of Detroit, enjoys the repu tation as well as the satisfaction of having given a start to, and in some cases reared, a number of poor boys who have since become million-aires. It is pleasant, too, to think that this estimable old lady has never been subjected to the mortification of seeing any of her proteges in either the Penitentiary or the United States Senate.

Mme. Diss Debar has joined her fortunes to those of a noted magician, and they will appear hereafter on the same platform to charm dollars out of the public pocket.
Oh. Diss Debar, then can it be

That dollars have a charm for thee? Where is the Marsh-light that once glowed To guide thy spirits on life's road? Was it an ignus-fatuus To suffer thee to labor thus? Oh, Dies Debar, say if you can Have you Diesbarred your Lutherman?

Friends of Warner Miller who fought with him when he fell just beyant the breastworks should at least have the job of digging the

WORLDLINGS.

Mrs. John Wansmaker, wife of the Postmas ter-General, has left Nice for Florence and will travel through Italy before returning to Paris. She is expected home late in the Spring.

A correspondent writing from Athens says that a remarkable feature of Athenian society is the beauty of the women, at least 90 per cent. of the women and young girls seen at the balls being positively pretty.

The handsome man of President Harrison's Cabinet is Gen. Noble, the Secretary of the Interior. He is rather short in stature, but has a tine head, with white hair, white mustache and imperial and expressive blue eyes.

One of the most valued treasures of the Keystone Club, of Philadelphia, is an ancient receipt for making punch. It was the result of the labors of a distinguished German scientist, and came into the possession of the Club some

THAT CUCKOO CLOCK.

Jones Hangs lils Handsome Birthday Present Above His Bed and Retires.





The Clock Strikes Two !!



The Clocks Strikes Three!!!!

Notes of Organized Labor. The Millwrights and Millers' Union propose to renuze an English-speaking branch. A number of men who were once regarded as caders of the Knights of Labor have been ex-selled by the General Executive Board. The carpet-workers are in the tenth week of herr strike, and the feather-workers have been out eight weeks. Both maintain an unbroken

The Central Labor Union yesterday continued the discussion of the resolutions providing for a reorganization and the election of a new set of delegates. No decision was reached. delegates. No decision was reached.

There are six organizations of railroad trainment-the Engineers' Brotherhood, Firemen's Brotherhood, Order of Bailroad Conductors, the Brotherhood of Railroad Brakemen and the Switchmen's Mutual Aid Association. All paysick benefits ranging from \$3 to \$10 per week, and disability and death claims ranging from \$800 to \$2,000.

Michael O'Brien has been elected Recording Secretary, Ernest Bohm terresponding Secretary, T. F. Connolly Financial Secretary, August Delabar Treasurer and J. Waldinger, Henry Enerich and E. Kurzenkinshe trustees of the Central Labor Federation. The application to the American Federation of Labor for a charter will be discussed before President Gompers on Friday.

Friday.

"Returned in Full Force."

Meers, Riber & Son.

Dean Bills: My wife had been very much run down, her blood being very thin and in bad condition generally. I gave her a boistle of your Computer Balance, Palatilla and the effect was indicated and most anisotropy. She improved at OSCK, left much stronger and her appetite volumed in full force. She is now mere a present the true, and sends most sincere thanks for the same; and also recommends your Sainapatilla to world.

Vann sentering.

Yours gratefully, PHILIP DONNELLY, 503 West 19th Rt., N. Y.

Young and Old Striving to Surpass The Girl Singer's Death Reveals a A Man Dragged 800 Miles from Previous Records.

A Tempting Challenge from a "Cham- Stein's Theatrical License Expired on Not an Hour Allowed Him for an Appeal pion Puzzle Solver."

Good Success.

Interest in that razzle-dazzle game of pigdriving has assumed such alarming proportions that from being an innocent and instructive little puzzle, designed to while away a few idle minutes, it has now become the bone of contention for the claim to Champion Pig - Driver," founded on the surpassing quick records which have been sent to the office of THE EVENING WORLD, and which records several emulative people have striven to surpass.

It was a noteworthy fact that until to-day none of the gentler sex had contributed their records to the general list. Two, however, have broken the silence and submit their records, twenty and thirteen seconds respectively.

One enthusiastic individual, who signs himself " Champion Puzzle Solver of the Sixth Ward," having made a record of fourteen seconds, comes out boldly and challenges any one for \$50 a side to beat his time. This may be found interesting to many who claim to have penned the pigs in time rang-

ing from 5 5-6 to 8 seconds.

Another inventive genius has discovered that the truly artistic way of manipulating the pigs is to balance the box on the feet, and by a rocking motion persuade them to enter

A Little Boy's Good Record To the Editor of The Evening World:

I have a little boy ten years of age who has put the pigs in the pen in seven seconds. His name is George Arthur Richards, and I will back him against all comers under fifteen years of age.

C. N. RICHARDS. teen years of age.

The Ludles Are Beginning. To the Editor of The Evening World:

I read that no ladies had as yet reported their efforts at pig-uriving, as reporting to have driven the pigs triumphtheir efforts at pig-driving, so I will lead by ntly in the pen in twenty seconds by the watch in the presence of my parents,
Ara B. Austin,
237 East Eighty-first street.

A Challenge for Ladies. to the Editor of The Evening World: I challenge any woman in New Jersey to put the pigs in clover as quickly as my wife can: Four pigs in clover, thirteen seconds seven pigs in clover, five and a half minutes. If you can find any woman to beat this pleas trot her out. A. Cohen, Paterson, N. J.

A Record of Six Seconds.

I penned the pigs in seven seconds from the time I commenced, and since then I can per them in six seconds. Tell your readers to pen all the large ones first, then get the small one in, at the same time keeping an eye on the pen so the two pigs block the door when they move.

MARKL DE BAHAN.
566 Seventh avenue.

A New Way of Driving.

To the Editor of The Evening World The only truly artistic way to drive those pigs into the pen is to do it with your feet. Place the puzzle on your feet with the door of the pen towards you, resting your beels on the floor, and drive the pigs in by tilting the box back and forth. I did it last night in 2 minutes and 15 seconds. I am a young man, and heretofore my reputation for veracity has been unimpeached. My feet are large and well developed. H. B.

Wants to Start a Tournament.

To the Editor of The Evening World:

Challenge from a Doubting Thomas. to the Editor of The Evening World:

I do not believe one word of some of these gentlemen claiming to have put the pigs in the pen in eight seconds; it could not be done in one chance out of a hundred. I am speaking of facts. I have tried this puzzle over sixty times, and the quickest time I have done the puzzle was in fourteen seconds, which is remarkable time. I do not believe there is any man who could do it as quick. Now to show that I mean business, I will challenge any one, no matter who he may be, for \$50 a side, man and money to be found if challenge is sent through this paper, at Thomas Maher's, corner Pearl and Centre streets, New York. John A. Carroll, Champion Puzzle Solver of the Sixth Ward. gentlemen claiming to have put the pigs in

'PIGS IN CLOVER."

The other day I came Across a little game. I know you'll find the same The city over.

I bought one just to se How easy it would be To drive those piggies wee From out the clover

I gave a happy grin. I almost had them in, If it had not been For one ead rover.

Shaking it I tried. They ran round the side. And plainly me defied. Those Pigs in Clover.

'Ha, ha! now this is fun.

I thought I had the four.

I will before I've done. Send every single one Bight into 'Dover. " One-two-three, oh, Lor't

But they all skipped from the door. Those Pigs in Clover. Now I've got them in the lane. No. I've not, there off again, Oh, Heavens! I'll go insane

Andblind and gray moreover. This puzzle that was first a lamb Has turned into an untamed ram. My head, my head! Oh! Oh! Confound Those Pigs in Clover.

THE great benefits of MONELL'S TERTHING CORDIAL are testified to by all who use it. No cents.

Violation of Law.

March 1 Last.

The Ladies Try Their Hands With And He Has Been Running Without Plugge Is Accused of a Forgery Done One Ever Since That Date.

> Capt. McCullagh, of the Fourteenth Precinct, was summoned to Police Headquarters this morning, and was accompanied by Adolph Stein, proprietor of the concert saloon No. 36 First street, where Babbette Stein, whose stage name is Amelia Cottie, died suddenly last evening, as alleged, at the conclusion of a ballad she sang under protest on account of ill-health.

Mr. Stein was very indignant and said that he held a concert license from the Mayor's Marshal. He denied that the unfortunate ballad singer performed on Sunday or that she fell bleeding from hemorrhage on the Inspector Williams, who instituted the in

quiry this morning, says that, in view of the presence of a special license from the May-or's office for the place, the police can do nothing to supress it unless for the sale of liquors, if Stein is detected in the act, and no metion will be taken against either Capt.
McCullagh or Mr. Stein.
Mr. Stein, also stated that the woman was
engaged to sing in his place six weeks ago,
She reached the place last night about 7.30.

It had not come her turn to sing and she was sitting at a table near the stage when she was seized with a violent fit of coughing. This brought on a hemorrhage. She rushed into a side room. From there she was carried

Dr. Franz Serr, of 42 Second street, was sent for and responded.

Five minutes after his arrival the woman

died.

The body, on the strength of Dr. Serr's certificate, by permission of Coroner Messemer was sent to an undertaker's establishment at 139 First avenue. From there it was taken to her residence at 231 East Ninety-sixth The young woman leaves a husband, a painter, who is working every day, and one

child.

Her husband stated this morning that she had sung in concert halis all her life and that Mr. Stein had always treated her kindly. He married his wife ten years ago in Ger-

any. They were trying to save up enough money to return to that country.

He said she had been a sufferer from consumption for a long time.

At the City Hall it was learned that a concert license had been issued to Eudolph Stein Nov. 80, 1888, and expired March I,

Some days prior to its expiration he made some days prior to its expiration he made application to Mayor Grant for a renewal.

The matter was referred by the Mayor to the Police Department for a report.

Capt. McCullagh reported the character of the place, its proprietors, frequenters and entertainment as "good."

Since March 1 Stein has been running his place without a license.

place without a license.

He was one of the first callers at the Mayor's office this morning, and wanted Mayor's Confidential Clerk O'Farrell to issue

Mayor's Confidential Clerk O'l'arrell to issue him a license and post-date it.

Dominick had read the papers, however, and asked him to await the Mayor's coming. Stein concluded not to wait, and he did well to leave, for when Mayor Grant came and was informed of the gentleman's errand he was very indignant, and might have given the concert-hall proprietor a sharp lecture.

Mr. Stein will not get a new license.

THOSE IRISH SNAKES.

OUR CORRESPONDENTS STILL TRYING TO SETTLE THE OUEER PROBLEM.

Still Another Experiment.

I hasten to send in my contribution on Irish snakes. I was well acquainted with a Will you please publish my claim to the young man who had amassed a considerable amateur championship of pigs in clover pen. sum of money at the Kimberly diamond ning. I have done this puzzle in 5 5-6 sec-onds, being timed correctly by the ticks of a ning. I have done this puzzle in 5 5-6 seconds, being timed correctly by the ticks of a watch, and also by a second hand. I have done it a number of times in 7 seconds, and several time in 6 seconds. I am prepared to offer proof of all the above.

As you will probably have a number of quick records sent in to you. I would suggest that The Evening World get up a tournament to decide the championship by an average time on about five trials,

D. CLARENCE HICES,

209 West Fourteenth street.

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I have read with interest the numerous communications published by you in relation to the absence of snakes in Ireland.

It is an undoubted fact that none exist there in a wild state, and the one which an

you make mention of the fact that New Zealand must have received a visit from St. Patrick, as it also is free from these peats. Not a single snake, reptile or animal hurtful to man is to be found in New Zealand, although the adjacent islands are literally alive with them. It is claimed by some that the climate of Ireland is too wet and cold, and that snakes cannot live and increase on that account. This theory will not explain their absence from New Zealand, as the climate of that country is everything that could mate of that country is everything that could be desired. Is it not a most remarkable and extraordinary fact that these two islands are the almost exact antipodes of each other and are the only two countries in the world where snakes do not exist? The only wild animal snakes do not exist? The only wild animal in New Zealand is the pig, descendants of some left there by Capt. Cook. These wild pigs are to be found everywhere and are almost as numerous as their tame brethren in Ireland, thus making another cause of similarity between the two countries.

larity between the two countries.
G. K. R., Twelfth street, New York. Mrs. Langtry Almost Well.

Mrs. Langtry is almost well to-day, and in nds to go to Philadelphia to-morrow to fill her ngagement there. Dr. H. H. Curtis, her physician, says she uffered a relapse Saturday night, but had re-overed from it when he made his afternoon call esterday, and was still further improved this

Now is the Time To purify your blood and fortify your system against the debilitating effects of spring weather. At no other season is the bitter taste in the month more prominent, the breath so offensive, the drowsy dizainess so fre quent, or that extreme tired feeling so provalent. Hood's Sarsaparilla is just the medicine to build up the system, purify the blood, cure biliousness, overcome

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STILL AT THE PIGS. OPEN AND NO LICENSE. KIDNAPPED

Home to Ludlow Street Jail.

to Justice.

in the Netherlands a Year Ago.

Edward C. Plugge, a Hollander, is locked up in Ludlow Street Jail, and claims that he has been kidnapped from Grand Rapids, Mich., and brought to this city by Federal officers of justice in defiance of law. The arrest was made by Deputy United

States Marshal Carmody, of the Southern New York District, who held a warrant issued by United States Commissioner John A. Shields, on the complaint of John Edward Planten, who charges Plugge with forgery. An Evening World reporter visited the

jail this morning and saw the prisoner. He came down into the Warden's office. Plugge came down into the Warden's office. Plugge is a tall, wiry man of about forty-five years of age. He has a bushy, dark beard, cut square, and bine eyes.

He was dressed in his working clothing. Although he has been in the country nearly two years he can speak but little English, and it was not until after considerable difficulty that his story was learned.

According to his statement he lived at 44 Mulberry street, Grand Rapids, with his wife and seven children. He was a watchmaker and was the foreman of a department in a manufactory.

manufactory.

On the day of his arrest, Friday. March 8, he says a man came to his house and inquired if he was in. His wife replied in the affirmative, and when he presented himself, the man said he was a detective, and placing his hand on his shoulder, said: "You are under

Upon his inquiring why he was arrested, Upon his inquiring why he was arrested, the detective told him he would know as soon as he got to New York and saw the Consul for the Netherlands.

Plugge further says that the detective, who was Deputy United States Marshal Carmody, told him he would have to hurry up. He was allowed to talk with his wife for about fifteen minutes and was then hustled into a cab and carried to a police station.

He declares that no warrant was shown to

cab and carried to a police station.

He declares that no warrant was shown to him at the house. At the police station he saw a young lawyer named Wesselines, who told him he would do what he could for him,

told him he would do what he could for him, 'In less than an hour and a quarter after he was arrested he says he was placed aboard a train bound for New York.

The Marshal ordered him to get into the cab. As soon as they started the horses were whipped up and the party hurled along at a rapid pace until they got to a neighboring township, when they got aboard the train.

He reached New York on Sunday, a week ago, and was put in jail. His lawyer came on from Grand Rapids, and sent a communication to the State Department in Washington, asking that the Netherland Consul's application of his extradition be refused.

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The charge on which Plugge was arrested is forgery. In the complaint made by Consul Planten, it is alleged that in May, 1887. Plugge forged a note for 500 guilden—about \$200, signing the name of J. Kalant, He obtained the money from a co-operative banking association and fled to this country.

Plugge denies these allegations. He said that he lived in the village of Middleburg. A certain party bought a large quantity of groceries from him, giving in return a note for 500 guilden, signed '' J. kalant.'

Two friends indorsed the note and the Cooperative Vercenizung, a banking association,

operative Vereenizung a banking association, discounted it. With the money he came to

America and went West.
Some time after his arrival in this country
he received word that the note was worthless. and he offered to settle.

The holders of the note, however, refused unless he would return and stand criminal proceedings. This he declined to do, and in his absence the case was brought before a court. and, according to custom, he was tried, con-

victed and sentenced to a term of one year in prison.

He again offered to settle the matter, but
He again offered to settle the matter, but his appeals were unheeded. Kalant, the guilty party, he says, still walks the streets unmolested. He has never been arrested, and the whole case falls on him, Plugge. Since he has been under arrest he has received letters from his wife and from his em-

ceived letters from his wife and from his employers. They express sympathy at his arrest and wish he would return to his work. The man told his story in an earnest manner. He is well educated and seems to feel his position keenly.

The reporter then visited the office of the Netherlands Consul at 19 William street. Consul Planten was not in, but in his absence the reporter saw the Vice-Consul.

"We know nothing of the case," he said when questioned by the reporter.

"The Cousul appears as the complainant against the man and asks that he be given in the custody of the Holland Government," answered the reporter.

the custody of the Holland Government," snawered the reporter.
"Well, we'll have nothing to say about it at all. The matter is in the hands of the United States Commissioner, and we await his decision."

Commissioner Shields was next seen. In his pleasant way he declined to discuss the case saying that it was under consideration.

case, saying that it was under consideration and that he would be called upon to give a decision in a few days. United States Marshal Bernhardt, in whose

United States Marshal Bernhardt, in whose hands the matter was placed, was inclined to defend his deputy. He said that the warrant gave the deputy the power to arrest a prisoner anywhere he might be found.

No requisition on the Governor was necessary, he said, and it was the Marshal's duty to bring his prisoner before the Commissioner as soon as possible.

He declared that the warrant had been shown to Plugge before he was taken away and the charge fully explained to him. He considered that Carmody, the deputy, took the proper course.

the proper course.

Deputy Marshal Carmody was next interviewed. He admitted, however, that the warrant had not been served on Pingge at

inquired whether he was in. As soon as we saw him, I knew I was not mistaken in my sew him, I knew I was not mistaken in my man.

"I told him that he was under arrest. He did not ask to see the warrant, but came with me without any troutie. I allowed him to stay with his family for over an hour, and then took him to Police Headquarters.

"He saw his lawyer, a young man, to whom I showed the warrant. He remained in the police station was a statio

police station nearly three hours and I then took him to the ratironal station, when I could get the earliest train. He acted in a quiet and orderly way on the trip. I treated him well and he did not grumble." "Is there no way by which he could have escaped coming on with you?" asked the

reporter.
A United States warrant gives a marshal "A United States warrant gives a marshal the power to arrost the man wherever he is discovered." He sunswered.

"If The had declined to accompany you, couldn't his lawyer have gone before a United States court and obtained a haboz corpus, and required you to produce the man in court?"

"Yes, he could, but I don't think there is a United States Court or Marshal in the town."

town."

He took no trouble to find out, however, and if the prisoner's story is true, they drove to another village to board the train. This was done, the Marshal says, in order to make

Mr. Plummer Out for Good. John F. Plummer insists on being only a "pri vate in the ranks" so far as the Business Men's

GLE WITH BURGLARS.

NEWARK, N. J., March 18,-Minnie Green, s young woman employed as a servant in the household of Henry Heinsheimer at 69 Court street, told a remarkable story to the police of a heroic fight which she had with two men who attempted to burglarize the premises. Her story was as follows.

While the family were absent at church last night thieves attempted to burgiarize the house. They entered by the rear and went upstairs, where they set to work rumaging

the place.

Hearing a noise, Minnie went up and discovered the burglars at work. She at once grasped one of the men, when another of the men ran up and seized her. A terrible fight then began, the girl screaming loudly meanwhile.

The men tried to throw her to the floor and

bind and gag her, but she fought beavely with a courage born of despar, and the thieves, finding it impossible to silence her. beat a hasty retreat.

The girl isinted from exhaustion and was

discovered unconscious by the family on their return from church. The room bore all evidences of a severe struggle, but nothing of value had been taken by the thieves.

This morning, when questioned closely, she admitted that she had nerself disordered the articles in the room, scattering the furni-ture about and giving it the general appearance of a struggle having taken place. The girl broke down when interrogated by Detec-tive Staiusby. She will be neld for examina-tion as to her ranity.

The flay in Wall Street. Another slump in copper stocks in Paris, and rumors that the Comptoir d'Escompte, the backer of the great Copper Syndicate. had closed its doors had a depressing effect in Wall street to-day. The bears selected for special

street to-day. The bears selected for special attack the stocks in which Hoston has a large interest, it being hoped that weak holders there can be shaken out on account of their chormous losses in copper shares.

An ineasy feeling prevails here, as London may be seriously affected by the Paris troubles, and in that event would draw freely upon this country for gold. An outflow of the precious metal at this time would derange the money market, unless the Treasury should come to its relief by taking large amounts of bonds and reducing its surplus in this way.

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New York Markets.

Whear.—May opened unchanged at 93c., declined to 935c., and recovered 1 point to 935c. Subsequently the market weakened, and the quotation declined to 93c. At noon the market was steady at the opening quotation. 95c. June opened at 945c.; July, 933jc.; Ang., 91c.; Dec., 935jc.; Cables quiet. Chicaso weak.

Corron.—Futures opened easy at 1 point decline. March, 9.97; April, 10.01; May, 10.08; June, 10.16; July, 10.22; Aug., 10.29; Sept., 9.00; Oct., 9.70.

Coffee.—Opened steady at 5 to 10 points off. March, 16.70; April, 16.75; May, 16.86; June, 16.85; July, 10.95; Aug, 17.05; Sept., 17.20. Cables quiet, but steady.

Pernoleum.—Fips-Line certificates opened unchanged at 8955c., advanced to 90c. and sagged off to 895c. Market duil. New York Markets.

SHE WANTED A SENSATION. FIGHTING MAD AT COLLINS.

MINNIE GREEN'S ALLEGED HEROIC STRUG- REPUBLICANS IN THE FOURTH AGGRES-SIVELY DEMAND A NEW LEADER.

> awyer Resentbal and the Hebrew-Amerionn Lengue Lend the Attack-They Say Collins Tried to Sell Them Out in Many Ways and Is Too Old-Mass-Meeting Colled for Friday Night.

John Frank Carroll and The. Allen, the ival Republican leaders of the Fifth Assemly District, have raised so much dust in their neighborhood that the attention of the public has been diverted from a lively little fracas which has been going on on the east

The Fourth District is the scene of this

row, and John Collins, the present Republi-

can leader, is the man whose scalp is demanded by a large proportion of his constituency, led by Counsellor Alex. S. Rosenthal. The fight began during the late compaign, out Collins's opponents did not become very aggressive until after election, when Rosen. thal petitioned the County Committee to

drop the bated Collins into the subcellar of oblivion. This petition was made at the request of the Hebrew-American Republican League, of which Rosenthal is President, and the rea-sons assigned for Collins's removal were

reorganize the Fourth District machine and

numerous.

In the first place Collins is alleged to be extremely anti-benitic in his views, which he has not scrupled to publicly express in the saloons and other places of the district, thus attenating a large class of voters in the district from the Republican party and rendering it impossible to recruit the ranks of the organization.

He is also charged with refusing to nominate Republicans for local offices and having bunched the tickets of the County Democracy candidates for Assembly and Aldermen with the Republican tickets at the last election.

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This action the Hebrew-American Republican League refused to indorse, and turned its 1,709 votes for the Tammany candidates, Hayes for Assembly and Noonan for Alderman, electing them.

Collins is also accused of "juggling and dealing" in the Republican votes of the district for his financial benefit, and this assertion is backed by an affidavit to the effect that he attempted to sell the Hebrew vote of the district to Congressman Tim Campbell for \$3,000. for \$3,000.

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A younger man, with ''more liberal views, some education and religious tolerance, sympathizing with the sentiments of the various heterogeneous population of the district," is demanded for leader by the petitioners, that the Republican organization may be built up.

A mass-meeting of the Republican voters of the district has been called for next Friday evening to express dissatisfaction at the incompetency of Collins.

It will be held at American Star Hall, 165 East Broadway, and a lively shindy, equal to the Carroll-Ailen entertainment in the Fitth District, is expected.

ANN O'DELIA HIRED OUT.

"Mme. Messant" will produce before a sceptical public oil paintings and antique bric-h-brac, the work of spirit artists whose fleshly hands have long since withered and decayed in their graves, at \$1,500 a week, in

connection with the magical performances of Prof. Herrmann.

Mme. Messant has recently been known as Mrs. Ann O'Delia Diss Debar, and claims to be the Princess Editha Lolita, the child of crazy King Ludwig of Bavaria and Lola Montez, the eccentric actress of a past generation.

ation.

The bargain has been consummated between the great prestidigitator and the equally great spook priestess, and she will give her first manifestation at the Metropolitan Opera-House after the return of Prof. Herrmann's company.

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Madame now declares that she never told Kellar that Spiritualism was a fraud. Only some Spiritualism is a fraud. Hers is simon-pure, genuine Spiritualism. She is going to prove that Judge Gildersleeve and the jury which convicted her of fraud were just as mean as they could be, and that she has been wickedly persecuted.

WILL ERHARDT GET IT? It is asserted that stock in the Erhardt boom for the Collectorship of the Port has taken a decided upward leap within the past

few days. Col. Erhardt was in Weshington last week, and an intimate friend of his says that he was there on an invitation of the President.

This friend is also authority for the statement that President Harrison asked the defeated Republican candidate for Mayor if he would accept the Collectorship, and the modest Colonel is reported to have said he would not decline to accept the plum if it should be offered him.

offered him.

Mr. Erhardt has declined to talk on the subject since his return, and will neither deny nor confirm the story of the White House interview.

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